

The Creekside Festival Mission Statement

We aim to be Gahanna's Premier Summer Event by focusing on:

- Providing fun and interesting family activities and entertainment
- Serving as a showplace for the best in Ohio blue and jazz music
- Highlighting and reinvigorating the Olde Gahanna area with a quality festival that involves local businesses and residents
 - Hosting a premier arts and crafts event
- Involving and displaying the best of the area's community organizations through performances and volunteering
- Actively engaging people with Gahanna's best natural resources: Creekside Park and the Big Walnut Creek

All music organized by Columbus' finest local Blues & Jazz music organizations:



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Gahanna presents...

Family fun in the summer...



The Best of Ohio's Blues & Jazz...



Canoes, Crafts, & Cars...





When & where is the Creekside Festival?

It's centered around Creekside Park and Olde Gahanna on the third Saturday in June. This year the festival runs from Friday, June 20 to Sunday, June 22, 2003.

5 Years of Festivals...

2003 marks the 5th year for the Creekside Festival. The festival started as a way to celebrate the new Creekside Park area and the beginning of Olde Gahanna's revitalization. Originally, it was a one-day Saturday festival with kids' activities, music, food, and crafts with about 10,000 people. Since 1998, the Creekside Festival has grown and changed along the way. Blues and Jazz became the official theme of the music in 2000. In 2001, barbecue food became the culinary focus of the festival. The festival grew to Friday night and all-day Saturday in 2002. Now as we begin planning for 2003, the festival grows to include Sunday and adds classic cars and upwards of 40,000 people! Come join us!

This year's Saturday Night VIP Concert features:

The Columbus Jazz Orchestra & The Urban Jazz Coalition

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The Creekside Festival wants your business to be a part of the Gahanna's Creekside Festival...

Types of Sponsorships

Friend of Creekside (\$20-\$500)

- * Donations or In-Kind Support
- * Gets a Program Listing

Special Friends of Creekside (\$500 & up)

- * Donations or In-Kind Support
- * Gets a Program Listing

Wally's Jumpin' Friends (\$1000 & up)

- * Specifically supports activities from:
 - music & other performances
 - kids & family activities
 - Performance areas & stages
- * Donations or In-Kind Support
- * Can hang banner/pass out materials
- * Support over \$1000 gets:
 - A Saturday VIP Table for 10
- * Support over \$2000 gets:
 - A Saturday VIP Table for 10 including a Panera Bread Buffet
 - Listed on all paper promotions
- * Support over \$5000 gets:
 - A Saturday VIP Table for 10 including a Panera Bread Buffet
 - Mentioned in all paid promotions